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Calmer, Marion

Serial No.: 09/827,563

Filed: 04/06/2001

For: Strategic Spatial Realignment for
Attaching Cornheads to Combines)

Examiner: Mammen, Nathan S.

Art Unit: 3671

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1403 280	2403 140	Request for oral hearing	
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Sir:

This amendment is in response to the Office Action mailed March 4, 2004.

Applicant's attorney submits this amendment along with a request for a one (1) month extension of time. Please amend the application as follows:

Drawings

Applicant has no objection to Examiner's marking the Figures 1-3 as prior art. Applicant encloses drawings with the corrections required by the examiner. Two (2) original copies of the drawings will be sent by mail.

Abstract

Applicant encloses a substituted abstract meeting the requirements for an abstract.

Claims

Applicant requests the examiner cancel pending claims 25-26 and submits claims 27-28 in place of claims 25-26. New claims 27 and 28 are method claims that express a general method of accomplishing the objectives of allowed claims 16-24.

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